

MEMORANDUM

TO: Commissioners Hardy, Hadley, Landis, Server and Ziegner
FROM: Jerry L. Webb, Director of Gas/Water/Sewer Division
DATE: March 9, 2006
RE: Utility Articles for Next Conference

The following Final Articles A, G and Preliminary Article A are submitted to each of you to acquaint you with the tariffs eligible for action or acceptance on or after March 15, 2006.

“A” Final

The following new miscellaneous items will be eligible for final consideration at the next Commission Conference and based upon a review of them by staff members of the Commission, I recommend approval.

1. Communications Corporation of Indiana d/b/a TDS Telecom

Communications Corporation of Indiana (CCI) proposes the addition of International Directory Assistance to its tariff. The charge for each Directory Assistance call to obtain international numbers will be \$1.50 with a maximum of two requested numbers per call.

CCI is also reorganizing its tariff to combine Local, National and International Directory Assistance into one comprehensive tariff called Directory Assistance. The new tariff will include definitions that will indicate what numbers qualify as local, national, and international. Individual rates for Local and National Directory Assistance will not change.

CCI is estimating monthly usage of 130 calls to Directory Assistance for international numbers, for an annual gross revenue increase projection of \$2,340.00. A cost and revenue analysis has been included with this filing.

Tariff sheets affected are:

IURC Tariff No. 1, Section 1, Sheet 4; Section 8, Sheets 1 – 2.1; Section 10, Sheets 1, 4 & 5.

2. Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company (Electric)

The utility seeks Commission approval to reformat and reorganize its Tariff for Electric Service. The tariff has been reorganized as follows:

- Rate Schedules have been moved to the front of the tariff.
 - A standard format has been incorporated for:
 - Rates and Charges; and
 - References to applicable Appendices.
 - The term “deferred payment” has been changed to “late payment”.
 - Full sentence format has been used throughout.
- Sections for Riders and Appendices have been created, and Riders applicable to the Fuel Cost Adjustment have been moved from the General Terms and Conditions section to Appendix A.
- Appendix D (“Other Charges”) has been added, specifying charges that appear elsewhere in the existing tariff.
- The “Cogeneration and Small Power Production” tariff has been set apart in a new “Purchase Rates” section.
- General Terms and Conditions now follow the new Purchase Rates section.

- The tariff concludes with Affiliate and Cost Allocation Guidelines.
- Typographical errors have been corrected.

The utility provided a red-line version of the tariff which identified the proposed changes. Staff has reviewed the proposed tariff and found no material changes in comparison with the existing tariff. Except for regularly updated rate riders, the general rates and terms and conditions in this tariff were established in Cause No. 39871 on June 21, 1995.

3. Southern Monroe Water Corporation

The utility is proposing to increase the reconnection charge for all customers the utility renders service. This is defined as follows: When the service is turned off for nonpayment of bill, or whenever, for any reason beyond the control of the water works, a re-establishment of service is required by one customer. The proposed charge for reconnection, occurring within normal business hours, is \$65.00, up from the current charge of \$30.00. The proposed charge for reconnection, occurring outside normal business hours is \$80.00, up from the current charge of \$30.00. Normal business hours are Monday through Friday 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Cost support has been provided.

	Current Charge	Proposed Charge
Reconnection Charge during normal business hours	\$30.00	\$65.00
Reconnection Charge outside normal business hours	\$30.00	\$80.00

The tariff page affected by this filing is page 3 of 4.

"G" Final

Revisions to the Fuel Cost Adjustment factor have been reviewed by staff members of the Commission and found to be in compliance with the orders of the Commission. The requirements prescribed for these filings in Commission Order No. 35687 have been met and I recommend approval.

<u>Item</u>	<u>Utility</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Filing Number</u>
1.	Knightstown	Increase	87-06-03
2.	Straughn	Decrease	111-06-03

Please indicate your consideration and action of all the preceding items on the appropriate lines provided below.

Jerry L. Webb
Director of Gas/Water/Sewer Division

I approve of all items as presented above:

I approve of all items as presented above except:

Not participating in the following items:

I, _____ , Disapprove Items

No.

I, _____ , Wish to Defer Items

No.

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the action on the articles.

Acting Executive Secretary

“A” Preliminary

The following new miscellaneous item has been reviewed by staff members of the Commission and we recommend accepting it for filing.

1. Communications Corporation of Indiana d/b/a TDS Telecom.

The utility is removing multi-line Subscriber Line Charge (SLC) language from the Digital Transport Service section of their Tariff I.U.R.C. No. 1. The language is outdated and is being replaced with language that indicates the applicable F.C.C. charges that will be assessed per the NECA F.C.C. Access Tariff No. 5.

Cost support for the service was not included since this change does not change the cost or revenue incurred by the Company.

The following tariff sheet is affected by this filing:

I.U.R.C. No. 1, Section 6, Sheet 23.

Jerry L. Webb
Director of Gas/Water/Sewer Division